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VIRGINIA BANKERS,

At yesterday's session of the Virignia Banker.' Association in Hot Springs, Va., Mr. Martin W. Littleton, of New York, addressed the convention for nearly two hours, his remarks being greeted with enthusiastic approval. He said the federal and State governments for a great many years did everything they could to encourage men who had money and nerve in the development of the country, including mining, railroading and banking. The federal government gave those who built factories a tag so they might be able to sell their goods higher and keep them up. Both federal and State governments gave part of their public domain to railroads.

"Altogether this patron government of ours," said Mr. Littleton, "was a very indulgent and friendly parent to all of us. Of course, people got rich out of such conditions and a great many men grew very wealthy, and people began to ask where and how they got it. Suddenly the government, both State and national, swept down on them and began a crusade, in which every man who had been a captain of industry was suddenly a crook, and every man who had been regarded as an adventurer anxious to develop the country was put under suspicion. Neither the national nor State government should ever undertake to hurt or to help any particular industry. The government ought to keep its hands off, being neither friendly nor unfriendly, and allow the individual and his enterprise to work out the industrial destiny of this country. Paternalism as long as it remains friendly seems a great blessing, but when paternalism becomes hostile it seems a great curse. This government ought to be held so high above class interests that it could not hear the cry of the lawless mob or the appeal of those already fat with privilege."

ALLEGED SWINDLER.

D. G. Miller, silk-hatted, frock-coated, silvery-haired, and pompous, was arrested on the streets of Pittsburg, Pa., yesterday afternoon by detectives. Miller has within the past two months, it is alleged, collected over $200,000 in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Chicago and St Louis. To scores of manufacturers and business men in these different cities Miller is said to have represented himself as a lobbyist, raising money to be used for the passage in the next Congress of a 2-cent railroad fare bill.

Miller had in his possession letters presumably from prominent men in every state. All of the letters, the police declare, are unquestionably forgeries. For use in Boston he had letters from Gov. Guild, Senator Lodge, and others. For use in New York he had letters from Gov. Hughes, Senator Platt, and Representative Sulzer. The letters that he used in Pennsylvania bear the signatures of Senator Penrose, Senator Knox, John Dalzell, and a number of prominent men of Pittsburg and Philadelphia. There were also letters from Secretary Taft, Senator La Follette, Representative Littlefield, of Maine, Gov. Folk and many others.

Miller went to Pittsburg two weeks ago from Chicago, where it is alleged he made his most complete clean-up. The approaching convention, the police suppose, drove him away from that city, as he could not operate with so many men there whose alleged letters he possessed.

He disappeared suddenly, and Chief of Police Shippey, of Chicago, has been trying to locate Miller. The police believe that Miller has "planted" a large part of the money which it is alleged he collected during the past few months in Chicago.

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The old government printing office building at North Capitol and H streets, Washington, probably will be condemned and ordered torn down, as a result of the investigation now being made under the direction of Col. C. S. Bromwell as to the safety of the structure.

Public Printer Leech, soon after taking the oath of office, discovered the dilapidated building was a menace to the lives of workmen whose duty was to go into it frequently. The building is a storehouse for all sorts of junk, including discarded machinery of great weight. Some of the floors have been found to sag as much as six inches, and in some places more.

A report is expected to be made soon, and if the inspectors recommend what they now think, the old structure will be but a memory after a few months. Mr. Leech, it is said, grew apprehensive when the matter was first brought to his attention, and he desires by every possible precaution to safeguard the employes of the establishment.

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Continuing each Saturday and Sunday to and including October 4, the Southern Railway announces the sale of low rate week-end tickets for the round trip, Washington and Alexandria to Somerset, Warrenton, Harrisonburg, Bluemont and intermediate points, and from these stations to Alexandria and Washington, limited returning until Monday following date of sale.

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Summer School of the South, Knoxville, Tenn., June 23-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 21, 22, 23, 27, 28; July 4, 5, 11 and 19. Return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

Summer School, Athens, Ga., June 29-July 31, 1908—Dates of sale June 27, 28, 29; July 4, 6, 11 and 18. Final return limit 15 days from, but not including date of sale.

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The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at Office of Quartermaster, Fort Washington, Md., until June 20, 1908, and then publicly opened, for furnishing material and labor for repairs to Hospital Stewards' Quarters, which consist of painting, repairing window and door screens, installation electric light and linen closet. Information furnished on application to Q. M., Fort Washington, Md. je15,16,17,18,19,20

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 20, 1908

THE sketches of his career in the southern papers show that General Clement A. Evans, the new commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, is a worthy successor of the late General Stephen D. Lee. His war service began when he was elected major of the 31st Georgia Regiment. He was soon after promoted to colonel. His regiment was put in Lawton's (afterward Gordon's) brigade. General Evans succeeded Gordon when he was promoted major general, and again succeeded Gordon in command of the division. His service was in the army of Northern Virginia and he took part in all the leading battles fought on the soil of Virginia, Maryland and Tennessee. He was wounded five times, twice seriously, once at Monocacy and again at Gettysburg. In command of his division at Appomattox he put up the last fight which was made after the surrender—he had not received notice of the truce.

THE republican national convention of 1908 has gone into history which will record it as a body that took four days to accomplish that which it might have done in four hours, as its proceedings had been planned, cut and dried by one man—the president of the United States. So the "grand old party" which boasts of possessing independence, morality, progress and other virtues was made subservient to one man and the republicans in convention assembled were compelled to do this one man's bidding! Possibly some other man might have ruled a national convention as did Mr. Roosevelt, but certainly no one has ever done so before.

AS AN evidence of the standing of the Alexandria city bonds it may be stated that a bank officer yesterday who tried to purchase one on an order was unable to do so, the holders he approached all expressing the desire to retain their bonds, which they consider a safe investment. On July 1st next these 3.65 bonds will be exchanged for 4 per cent. bonds, which will make them more desirable. While Alexandria bonds are now quoted at par those of several of the larger cities of the state are selling at several points below their face value.

ONE thing the republican national convention did which will not be regretted was the elimination of Vice President Fairbanks from the political arena. Most people had begun to regard him as an upright man and a fair and impartial presiding officer of the Senate, but on the very day of the adjournment of Congress he took advantage of a blind senator and make a ruling which caused even the bitterest republican partisans to gasp. This one act stamped him as what he is.

FOR "pernicious political activity" President Roosevelt has removed Postmaster Sherman C. Denham, of Clarksburg, W. Va. If such charges were brought against Mr. Roosevelt he would be convicted by a jury of even his closest friends, for no man in public office ever was more active in politics than has been the president. With him, however, only those who oppose are "perniciously active."

SECRETARY TAFT and Senator Foraker have buried the hatchet in the interest of party harmony and success, the initiative in the matter being taken by Senator Foraker, Senator Dick has also mounted the Taft band wagon and yesterday sent the secretary of war a telegram of congratulation and expressed the hope that Taft will be elected in November.

THE platform of the republican party adopted at their national convention in Chicago this week seems to be more of a drag net to catch votes than a platform of principles.

MR. ROOSEVELT told a friend yesterday that he has had a "corking time." He certainly has. He bottled up the national republican convention and then put in the cork.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, June 20.

The nomination of Representative James S. Sherman, of New York, as the republican vice presidential candidate will render necessary the selection of a new chairman of the republican congressional committee. Mr. Sherman was in charge of the congressional campaign in 1906 and he was re-elected chairman when the committee was selected during the recent session. Representative James A. Tawney, of Minnesota, vice chairman, may be promoted to the chairmanship. Others who are mentioned for the chairmanship are Representative Henry C. Loudenslager who is secretary, and Representative William B. McKinley, of Illinois, the treasurer.

The flood of telegrams which has been pouring in upon Secretary Taft's office was supplemented today by a flood of letters which will probably increase in the next few days. Two additional clerks have been added to the force answering these congratulatory messages and if indications are borne out, more will have to be added. Republican clubs, organizations and governors are beginning to get in touch with the secretary. Among the telegrams received today was the following from Archbishop Ireland at St. Paul: "Warmest and most sincere congratulations. The choice of the republican party, you are no less the choice of the American nation. Prospere procede et Regna."

The bottom fell out of official Washington, after President Roosevelt left for Oyster Bay today. There is not a secretary nor assistant secretary in the State, War and Navy building. Secretary Root accompanied the president. Assistant Secretary Bacon goes to New London, Secretary Metcalf of the navy is in California and Assistant Secretary Newberry will leave this afternoon on the Dolphin to inspect the navy yards and go to his summer home at Watch Hill. Secretary Taft is at Cincinnati, and the Assistant Secretary of War, Robert Shaw Oliver, left town today.

The cruiser Prairie which left Newport training station last Sunday with one hundred marines and a draft of 62 sailors aboard, arrived at Colon yesterday and the marines were at once disembarked, for the patrol duty on the canal zone. Later, they will be sent to different polling districts in the republic of Panama to "guarantee" fair elections. The Prairie, which was under orders to proceed at full speed to the Isthmus arrived a day ahead of time. The cruiser Tacoma, which left for New York navy yard the same time with over 150 marines aboard, is expected at Colon tonight. The battleship New Hampshire will leave the New York navy yard today with 400 marines aboard and the Idaho will leave the League Island navy yard with a like number tomorrow. These ships are both under orders to proceed at full speed, and it is expected that they will arrive at the Isthmus within five or six days, and land a guard of 800 marines by next Saturday. This will give opportunity to have American marines at all of the principal polling places, by the dawn of June 28 when the municipal elections will take place. Reports received from the Isthmus by Secretary Taft, indicate the necessity of having these guards there, for the municipal elections as well as for the general election on Sunday, July 12.

President Roosevelt with Mrs Roosevelt, Ethel and Quentin, left Washington today at 9:15 for Oyster Bay. There was a gathering of cabinet officials, army and navy officers, and friends at the station to see them off, and from their farewells, it was evident that they were glad to escape the official atmosphere of Washington. Among those who were present to bid them goodby were Mrs. Taft, Secretaries Root, Cortelyou, and Straus, Postmaster General Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, and acting Secretary of the Navy Newberry.

The president's horses and carriages as well as household articles needed at his summer residence were shipped some days ago. The official papers of the executive office were packed and sent to Oyster Bay yesterday.

Secretary Loeb and Assistant Secretary Forester accompanied the president, as well as the usual quota of stenographers, clerks and secret office men. Assistant Secretary Latta remains in charge of the executive office in Washington.

Wade & Hedger, the stock brokers in the Ouray Building, reported this morning their cash drawer containing $850 in cash and checks amounting to $900 was rifled yesterday afternoon.

CONRAD FOR VICE-PRESIDENT.

As stated in yesterday's Gazette, headquarters have been opened in Richmond by Charles B. Cooke, for the avowed purpose of working for the nomination of W. G. Conrad, of Virginia and Montana, for the nomination for vice president of the United States on the democratic ticket as a running mate for William Jennings Bryan, whose nomination for first place on the ticket at Denver is practically conceded.

The movement to nominate a southern man for second place on the ticket was begun some time ago by Virginians resident in New York. Mr. Conrad, who is a native of this State, is a farmer, a merchant, a miner and a cattle grazer. He is reputed to be worth many millions. He is a democrat of the Valley of Virginia type.

Mr. Conrad left his native county, Warren, when quite a young man, for the West. After many years of successful labor he has come into national prominence in the State of his adoption. It is said that he would not only carry the State of Montana, but would wield considerable influence throughtout the West. It is claimed that the whole South will rally with Virginia to his support. His boom in the South, which is now formally launched, will be pushed with vigor.

A DETERMINED SUICIDE.

After swallowing a quantity of laudanum and firing a bullet into his head, Harry Wood, of 212 Quincy street, Washington, at noon yesterday cast himself from the Anacostia bridge into the Eastern branch of the Potomac. His body sank like a stone in 15 feet of water, where only a few days ago another man committed suicide. Late yesterday afternoon the body was recovered by the harbor police. On Wood's body were notes declaring his intention of destroying himself by hanging.

About noon the man was seen on the bridge. When he reached the middle of the bridge he paused, climbed to the railing and for a moment stood gazing down into the water, 40 feet below. He deliberately took a bottle from his pocket, drained it and then, drawing a revolver, placed it to his temple and fired. In full view of a number of horrified small boys the body of the suicide whirled through the air and struck the water, sinking immediately.

Wood's suicide was deliberately planned, for not only did he resort to poison, a revolver and drowning, but in order to avoid rescue he chose the time of day when the bridge was practically deserted by pedestrians. No motive for the suicide has been ascribed.

Sentence will be imposed by Judge Hough, of the U. S. Circuit Court, of New York, Monday, upon 23 companies that manufacture wrapping paper for violation of the Sherman anti-trust act by forming an illegal combination in restraint of trade. The companies compose almost the entire membership of the Fibre and Manila Association, which was organized in 1906 by John H. Parks. Twenty-three out of 25 manufacturers pleaded guilty to violating the anti-trust law.

News of the Day.

Five indictments were found yesterday in New York by the special grand jury which has been investigating the ice trust.

An English journal announces that an international steel trust, with a capital of $750,000,000, will be a fact in a few weeks.

Gilbert Wadsworth Barnard, well-known to the Masonic fraternity of the United States, died at his residence in Chicago yesterday.

The London Globe says the pope will appoint sixteen new cardinals at the September Consistory, this number including two Americans.

Secretary Taft was yesterday deluged with letters and telegrams of congratulations Senator Foraker being among those who tendered their support.

The mercury at Chicago today reached 88 degrees. The death roll of the last two days has reached eight. More than a score of prostrations are being cared for at the hospitals.

In celebration of the retirement of the British from Philadelphia in 1778 an equestrian statute of Gen. Anthony Wayne was unveiled there today by the Sons of the Revolution.

At the national republican convention in Chicago yesterday R. I. Roop was named as the Virginia member of the committee to notify Mr. Sherman that he was nominated for vice president.

The fourth big fire that Portland, Me, has suffered within six months was extinguished about 4 o'clock this morning after it caused more than $150,000 damages and threatened a general conflagration.

A man thought to be J. L. Rounds, once assistant superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company at Torrytown, Conn., was found dead by gas and carbolic acid in the Hotel Traymore, in Philadelphia today.

Two persons were fatally injured and six others slightly, by the explosion of a motor box on a Graham avenue car at Flushing avenue and Whipple street, Brooklyn this morning. All the victims received their injuries by jumping from the car windows when the explosion occurred.

The new national republican committee organized at Chicago, yesterday, by the election of Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, as temporary chairman to serve until a permanent chairman shall have been selected. Elmer Dover was re-elected secretary, and W. S. Stone, sergeant-at arms. A committee was named to consider the appointment of sub-committees to go to Cincinnati to confer with Secretary Taft regarding the selection of a permanent chairman to manage his campaign.

On a fast track at Sheepshead Bay the 4-year-old colt of James R. Keene yesterday won the Suburban handicap, worth this year $25,000. He was ridden by Jockey Notter. The time for the mile and a quarter was 2:03, only one-fifth of a second slower than the world's record of Broomstick, a 3-year old that carried 104. Ballot carried 127. The second horse was James E. Madden's King James, and the third August Belmont's Fair Play. The crowd of only 20,000 spectators was disappointing, but many looked for no more since the abolition of betting in New York State.

By direction of the president, Secretary of War Taft before leaving Washington yesterday instructed Colonel Bromwell, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, to have the buildings of the old Pennsylvania Railroad station at Sixth and B streets northwest removed as soon as possible. Colonel Bromwell will at once advertise for bids for the razing of the buildings, with the hope of letting the contract by July 15 and having the work commenced at once. The president wants the buildings all cleared away and the work of parking the tract in connection with the Mall under way by September 1.

ATTACKED BY A TIGER.

Hermon Gerson, head animal keeper in the East Lake Park Zoo, at Los Angeles, Cal., was seized by both arms by a big male tiger while washing its cage Thursday. The tiger almost pulled both arms from the sockets and stripped them of flesh from the elbows down. His wife came to the rescue and by jabbing the beast in the eyes and breast with a pitchfork forced it to release him.

As the tiger's jaws closed on Gerson's arm the keeper, who was holding a small hose, turned the nozzle in the animal's face. The tiger placed a hugh paw on Gerson's other arm, and the keeper began to call his wife who was in the Gearson residence near the zoo.

The roar of the tiger had created pandemonium among the animals, and as Mrs. Gerson drove a pitchfork into the tiger again and again the snarls and yells from the tiger's cage redoubled.

The fight between the woman and the man-eater lasted several minutes, ending only when Mrs. Gerson directed the tines of the fork against the animal's eyes.

Mimic War Ended.

New York, June 20.—With three dead, $20,000 damage wrought by the big guns, and the United States threatened with hundreds of suits for shattered houses, the mimic attack on New York ended today with a victory for the defenders.

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WORSE THAN MAD DOGS.

If the authorities who are interesting themselves so much in preventing the drug stores from selling cigars and soda water on Sundays would exert themselves more in trying to suppress the idle negro element in this city they would be more profitably employed, and the reckless issuing of licenses to low-down grogeries is going to bring prohibition to Alexandria, and that at no distant day, either. The vicinity of the Washington and Ohio station on north Fairfax street is infested with idle and loathsome negroes and negresses who continue their vile orgies day and night, and what is more, while in a decent saloon a white man is not allowed to buy a drink when exhibiting any evidences of intoxication. These worthless, insolent negroes, are sold it no matter what their condition, and, in many instances, doped with cocaine, besides. Is there no law against vagrancy? If there is why is it not enforced in the case of these idle negroes, who are a far greater menace than mad dogs, and who don't deserve half so much consideration?

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Virginia News.

Judge James Keith, of the Court of Appeals, left Richmond, yesterday, for Warrenton, where he will spend several weeks.

One hundred and fifty crates of strawberries have recently been shipped daily from Accotink, Fairfax county, to Pittsburg, Pa.

About 150 students are taking the examination before the Court of Appeals in Wytheville. It is by far the largest class that ever took the examination in Wytheville.

L. A. Lackey, a young married man of Bristol, was yesterday adjudged guilty of the betrayal of Miss Birdie Pippin. The jury fixed Lackey's punishment at three years in the Virginia penitentiary.

Mrs. William G. Farish died yesterday at her home, "Rutledge," eight miles north of Charlottesville. She was, before marriage, Miss Margaret Hunter, daughter of the late James Hunter, of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph Meade, formerly of Clarke county, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Annie Bolton, to Mr. William Leonard Propst, on June 9th, at their residence, in Necsho, Mo.

The Jamestown Exposition Commission yesterday sold the State building at the exposition and the acre of ground on which it stands to J. T. Deal, of Norfolk, for $12,500. The building cost the State $27,000 without the ground.

The democratic committee of the Fourth congressional district, in Petersburg, last night, declared Major Francis Rives Lassiter, of that city, the democratic nominee for Congress from that district. The recent retirement of Robert Turnbull, of Lawrenceville, as a candidate for the nomination left Major Lassiter a clear field, and it is also very unlikely that he will be opposed by any candidate, independent of republican, at the general election.

THE POLL TAX CASE.

The Court of Appeals of Virginia, sitting in Wytheville, decided for the defendant in the case of Tazewell against Herman, treasurer of Norfolk, in the poll tax case, as stated in Thursday's Gazette, but it appears that an erroneous interpretation of the decision was made in the absence of the language of the court's decision. The Richmond Journal says:

The Supreme Court decided that a citizen must pay his poll taxes in person, but it fails to say what constitutes personal payment. Can a man send his personal check to the treasurer and have his tax receipt mailed him? That is a question that is causing no little comment among the officials at the Capitol and throughout the State today.

The court has not decided that poll taxes must be paid "in person" in order to entitle a citizen to vote. It has decided that they must be paid personally; and that the city and county treasurers can place on the list required by section 38 of the Constitution only such persons as have paid the required poll taxes "personally."

But the court expressly declined to decide what would be a personal payment, holding that that question could not be properly decided in the case of Tazewell vs. Herman, as the question was not presented by the record in that case.

When seen yesterday, Attorney General Anderson declined to state what was the effect of the decision of the court further than to say that the court had expressively refused to decide what sort of a payment was a personal payment.

The following is the language of the court in deciding the case:

The question involved in this case, as was stated in the opinion of the court filed with the record when the judgment sought to be reheard was entered, is "whether it's the duty of the treasurer of a county or city, under section 38, art. 2, of the constitution in making and filing the list of persons who have paid their poll taxes to embrace in such list the names of all persons who have paid their poll taxes or only the names of those who have personally paid the same."

The court was then and still is of opinion that the treasurer should embrace in the list the names of such persons only as have personally paid their poll taxes. What constitutes personal payment thereof, within the meaning of article 2 of the Constitution, was not involved in the case, was not argued by counsel for the defendant in error, and was not considered or passed upon by the court. A failure, therefore, to pass upon that question furnishes no ground granting a rehearing. When a case is before the court in which that question is involved it will be considered and decided but until then any expression of opinion on the subject would scarcely be proper. The petition to rehear is therefore denied

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

WOMAN TO BE ELECTROCUTED.

Guilty of murder in the first degree, was the verdict yesterday in Watertown, N. Y., in the case of Mrs. Mary Farmer, charged with killing Mrs. Sarah Brennan. Justice Rogers sentenced Mrs. Farmer to death in the Auburn prison electric chair during the week beginning August 2. The crime for which Mrs. Farmer, aged 29, was convicted was atrocious. Her victim, Mrs. Brennan, aged 65, was her neighbor and intimate friend, and the motive was to gain possession of the Brennan home, deeds of which Mrs. Farmer had forged in October. Mrs. Brennan was hacked to pieces with a hatchet and her body stuffed in a trunk. Mrs. Farmer's husband is also under indictment on a charge of murder in the first degree as accessory to the crime.

FALSE THEORIES

Lead to Worthless or Harmful Remedies.

Stimulating the scalp may allay the itching of the dandruff, but that does not cure the scalp. The disease won't yield to quinine or capsicum nor alcohol, because it is caused by a germ or parasite. To cure dandruff the germ must be destroyed. Until recently there was no hair preparation, or dandruff cure, or hair restorer on the market that would kill that insidious germ that dries up the scalp in little scales called dandruff, and absorbes the vitality of the hair, causing falling hair and finally baldness. Newbro's Herpicide is the only really scientific preparation to cure dandruff, prevent falling hair and baldness.

Sold by Ernest L. Allen & Co., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 55

Today's Telegraphic News.

Damaged by Storms.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 20.—The electric storm which swept over Buffalo last night did great damage to property throughout the city. The velocity of the wind reached 72 miles an hour. Wires went down by the hundreds and the electric light service was crippled. Streets were transformed into rivers of rushing water, and cellars in many sections of the city were flooded. Lightening struck trees and houses and several small fires were reported. Several houses were unroofed and at least two buildings in course of construction were razed to the ground. Two men were injured by the collapse of a church on east Ferry street and two others stunned by lightning. Fully 600 trees were blown down, according to police reports. The storm passed on to the east and northeast of the city and did much damage in the towns around here. Reports say lightning struck a number of barns, which were destroyed.

Cleveland, Ohio., June 20.—Advices from the interior of the State today indicate that heavy damage and some loss of life was inflicted by the tornado-like storm which swept over the northern and central portions late yesterday. In this city several houses were wrecked and a number of persons injured. All through the State trolley, telephone and telegraph wires were torn down.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 20.—Enveloping the city in a swirl of debris, falling timbers and great clouds of dust, the electric storm which swept over Western Pennsylvania last night and early today caused a property loss of $100,000. At least fifty houses in the outskirts of the city were unroofed. Hundreds of telephone and telegraph poles were uprooted by the gale which at times reached a velocity of seventy miles an hour. The stone cross on St. Mary's Catholic Church was blown from its place, crashing through the steeple, causing great damage.

At Meadeville the large new building of the Pennsylvania Furniture Company was unroofed. At Washington, Pa., the wind reached a velocity of seventy miles an hour, and in five minutes half the town was stripped of shade trees and chimneys.

Steubenville, Ohio, June 20.—While crossing the Ohio river during last night's electrical storm the tornado struck the packett Queen City, and tearing her from her moorings, pushed the steamer before the gale. With the gale whirling it around like a top the boat was freed from the cyclone's path just in time to prevent collision with a pier.

Suffragettes Cause Apprehension.

London, June 20.—London will breathe much easier tomorrow night if the hugh demonstration of suffragettes planned for the day is carried out without rioting and bloodshed. A throng of 250,000 suffragettes and sympathizers is expected to take part and hundreds of extra police will be on duty to maintain order.

Tomorrow's demonstration will be by the militant suffragettes, those who have created so many disturbances in Downing street and who have been clubbed and arrested by the police on numerous occasions. The leaders openly declare that they will resist any interference by the police.

The feature of the demonstration, that is the scheduled festure, will be the converging of seven parades, each with 10,000 women marchers, at Hyde Park, where twenty addresses will be made to the host. The suffragette battle cry, "votes for women;" will be shrieked from thousands of throats, and it is planned to adopt a resolution calling upon the government no longer to delay in the enfranchisement of women.

It is at Hyde Park that the authorities fear the worst clash will come, and several thousand police will be massed there for an emergency.

The Candidates in Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Ohio, June 20.—William H. Taft arrived in Cincinnati from Washington at 8 o'clock this morning. Fifteen minutes before Mr. Taft arrived his running mate, Congressman James S. Sherman, arrived from Chicago. Mr. Sherman was accompanied by Charles P. Taft and a sub-committee of the national committee which will confer with Mr. Taft regarding a national chairman. Long before the trains bearing the candidates of the Chicago convention pulled into union station crowds were thronging the station and streets outside. The candidates were given an enthusiastic reception. A parade was formed at the union station and the procession moved to the home of Charles P. Taft, on Pike street, near the business center of the city. The streets were thronged. Business was temporarily suspended along the line of march. Immediately they arrived at the Taft home, Taft, Sherman and the sub-committee went into conference.

Marriage Bans Published.

Paris, June 20.—The marriage bans of Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helie de Sagan were published here today. The French custom is for the marriage to take place within two weeks of the publication of the bans, and this is taken to mean that the countess and the prince will be married before the end of the month. There is still much speculation as to where the wedding will take place. It is known that both Mme. Gould and the prince wish as quiet and unostentatious a ceremony as possible, and for this reason friends believe the wedding will take place away from Paris. It was reported several days ago that the parties had chosen Germany for their wedding and honeymoon. If this is fully confirmation, the secret is being carefully guarded. George Gould and his family, now in England, are expected to attend the wedding.

Girl's "Grand" Gowns at $1.65.

Chicago, June 20.—May O'Leary has a "perfectly grand" graduating dress—and the lovely part of it is that it cost only $1.65. Thirty-two other girls of the James McCosh School have equally "sweet ones, and none of the gorgeous lot cost more than $2. They made them themselves, and exhibited them at the school building as a roproof to vain little girls who will have nothing but $20 gowns for commencement. Mrs. Mary Darrow Olson, principal of the McCosh School, started the movement for cheap dresses. Mrs. Olson told the school guests yesterday that she was tired of the present fashion of trying to outshine the Queen of Sheba at commencement and believed in simple and inexpensive gowns.

When you need to take anmething take it promptly for the stomach, but take something you know is reliable—something like Kodol For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Kodol is pleasant to take, it is reliable and is guaranteed to give relief. It is sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Rhea Resolutions.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., June 20.—Henry C. Stuart set at rest today the report that he was recreant to duty in not reporting to the Roanoke democratic convention the Ninth district resolution endorsing Judge Rhea's appointment. He made public two letters, one from R. Tate Irvine, leading counsel for Rhea, and the other from Judge Price, of Bristol, a nephew of Judge Rhea. They were two of the three members of the convention resolutions committee from the Ninth district. Both state in their letters that they advised Mr. Stuart that the resolutions were not intended to be presented to the convention.

Explosion on Steamer.

Philadelphia, June 20.—Two men are known to be dead and more than thirty are injured, some fatally, as the result of a terrific explosion on the Hamburg-American freight steamship Arcadia shortly before nine o'clock this morning, less than 20 minutes after the vessel had tied up at the pier at the conclusion of a fifteen day's voyage from Hamburg. The dead are negro longshoremen.

Three gangs of white and negro laborers had just started to work in the vessel's hold, about 25 men being below deck in hatch number four, when, without warning came the explosion, hurling the men about the hold and burning them under the flying debris of the ship's cargo.

Those on deck were knocked off their feet, but quickly started on the work of rescue. Despite the flames which broke out immediately following the explosion the rescue party went below and soon brought out the bodies of the two longshoremen and sixteen injured.

Before the work of rescue could be completed the heat became so intense that the men had to withdraw.

Several members of the longshoremen's crews are unaccounted for and the police believe that they were drowned, as a number were seen to jump into the river.

Five tug boats of the American line and the city's fireboats poured water into the Arcadia's hold, but the fire burned with great rapidity and shortly after eleven o'clock the vessel began to settle and is now resting on the mud.

It is thought that the entire interior of the vessel will be destroyed by the flames.

Nothing inflammable was billed in the Arcadia's cargo and the only explanation of the explosion made is that it was due to ship's gas.

Press Arrangements at Chicago.

Chicago, June 20.—Veteran newspaper correspondents who have attended many previous conventions are unanimous in pronouncing the press arrangements at the convention just closed the best ever made.

The credit for this achievement is given particularly to Sergeant-at-Arms Wm. Stone, his assistant, Edwin P. Thayer; John R. Malloy, general secretary of the convention, and Elmer Dover, secretary of the national committee. All of these men entered enthusiastically into the spirit of Chairman Harry S. New's instructions which were to give the press every possible facility, not only for recording the news of the convention, but for getting it out to the world.

The press seats were located directly in front of the speaker's platform and were connected by short passages with the telegraph offices in the rear. In order further to expedite the bulletining of important events, each of the press associations was permitted to have a telegraph operator on the press stand. The operators worked with muffled keys and "secret sounders," so that the clicking of the instruments was inaudible even to persons seated alongside.

The result of this plan was that when the roll was called for the nomination of the candidates the vote of each State was known in newspaper offices from Maine to California the instant it was announced.

Four Hundred People Perish.

Madrid, June 20.—Two hundred and fifty people killed in the Mogadoure district of Portugal and 150 sailors and fisherman drowned on the Portugese and Spanish coasts is believed to be the death toll of a fierce tornado that ravaged the coasts and part of the inland of those countries. The storm is still in progress, though its fury has abated. It appeared to come from Africa and swept the peninsula with terrible havoc. Most of the shipping along the affected coast was destroyed, while inland, crops were ruined and thousands of people rendered homeless. Reports of fatalities are coming in rapidly and the foregoing estimate of 400 may prove too small.

Another Mysterious Murder.

New York, June 20.—What the police believe to have been deliberate murder was revealed today when the body of a woman bound hard and fast around the neck and body with rope was taken from the East river at Ninety-second street. The victim was apparently forty years old, five feet four inches in height, weighed 140 pounds, was of fair complexion and had brown hair. She was clothed in a black waist and skirt, wore a black Eton jacket and had black shoes and stockings. In the left stocking was found a time slip with the name "Mary Flynn, Gotham Hotel."

Explosion in Power Works.

Denver, June 20.—The works of the Du Pont Powder Company at Louvier, 20 miles southwest of Denver blew up today and great loss of life is reported. The plant employed 125 men. All the doctors from surrounding towns have been summoned. The explosion shattered windows at Fort Logan, ten miles away.

New York Stock Market.

New York, June 20.—Although there was little pressure at the opening and some of the stocks sustained fractional losses, the market quickly developed strength and the later part of the first hour prices moved upward sharply making net gains ranging from fractions to about 1 1-2 points.

For a Sprained Ankle.

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will disable the injured person for a month or more, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle faithfully, a cure may be effected in many cases in less than one week's time. This liniment is a most remarkable preparation. Try it for a sprain or bruise, or when laid up with chronic or muscular rheumatism, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Co. and Richard Gibson.

Mine Explosion.

Monongahela City, Pa., June 20.—A terrible explosion wrought appalling havoc and disaster late yesterday afternoon in shaft No. 1 of the Ellsworth mine, of the Pittsburg Coal Company, located just outside this town. Immediately after the explosion the mine took fire and is burning fiercely. Before the flames became too serious the bodies of six dead miners were recovered from the pit. Only one of the blackened corpses has been identified. All of the other bodies were so terribly burned and disfigured by the force of the explosion that they are unrecognizable. The fire in the mine was so fierce that it was impossible to go to the rescue of 30 other miners who were known to have been in the colliery at the time the explosion occurred, and it is almost certain that they will perish, if they are not dead already. Just what caused the explosion it is impossible to tell at this time, but it is believed that it was the result of an accumulation of coal dust. The mine has not been operating in full for some time; but the company's books show that 36 men were at work when the explosion took place. It would have been impossible for any of them to have escaped.

Declares Gladiator at Fault.

London, June 20.—President Sir Correll Barnes, of the British Admiralty court, held today that the British cruiser Gladiator was responsible for the collision with the American line steamer St. Paul, off the Isle of Wight April 27. The officers of the Gladiator brought suit against the owners of the St. Paul for damages for personal losses sustained by them in the collision, and the St. Paul put in a counter claim for damages, alleging the responsibility of the Gladiator for the accident. Judge Barne's decision upholds this counter claims. The decision declares that the officers of the Gladiator were at fault in steering to starboard in front of the St. Paul. In the court martial of Captain Lumsden, of the Gladiator, last week, the court likewise held that the Gladiator was at fault, and took the captain's command from him. It was decided then, however, and reaffirmed today, that the St. Paul was partially at fault.

To Test the Law.

New York, June 20.—Steps to make a test case of the anti-betting law were made today when Supreme Court Justice Bischoff issued a writ of habeas corpus directing the sheriff of Kings county to produce Melville Collins, who was arrested yesterday at Sheepshead Bay, in court. Collins was charged with making a bet and when arraigned in police court was held.

This action is believed to be taken in order to test the new law, and it is stated that the case will be carried to the higher courts. Gov. Hughes today instructed Acting District Attorney Elder, of Kings, that a verbal bet was a violation of the law.

Exodus from Chicago.

Chicago, June 20.—Everybody connected with the republican convention in any capacity who could get accommodations on trains has departed from Chicago. The exodus started immediately after adjournment yesterday, but because of the inability to foretell what would happen in the vice-presidential fight, delegates, visitors and others were unable to secure tickets and berths in advance, and hundreds had to stay over until today.

Mississippi Reaches Crest.

St Louis, Mo., June 20.—After reaching 34 8 inches, the Mississippi river is stationary today. It is believed the flood crest has passed and by tonight the river will recede. National City, across the river is practically deserted. At Alton, Grayson City and Venice many houses are still surrounded. Estimates of the damage range into the millions.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Washington-Detroit—Rain.
St. Louis, 4; New York, 0.
Chicago, 6; Boston, 4.
Cleveland-Philadelphia—Rain.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	33	21	.611	New York	24	29	.453
Cleveland	31	23	.574	Phila'phia	24	29	.453
St. Louis	31	25	.564	Boston	25	32	.439
Detroit	28	25	.528	Wash'n	20	33	.377

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

New York, 6; Chicago, 3.
Brooklyn, 3; Pittsburg, 2.
Cincinnati, 5; Philadelphia, 0.
Boston, 8; St. Louis, 6.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	32	18	.640	Phila'phia	22	25	.468
Pittsburg	31	21	.596	Boston	24	29	.453
Cincinnati	28	22	.560	St. Louis	22	34	.393
New York	27	24	.529	Brooklyn	19	33	.373

REAL ESTATE.

Alexandria, Va., June 15th, 1908.

Messrs. M. B. Harlow & Co.,
General Insurance Agents.
Alexandria, Va.

Gentlemen: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your draft for amount of insurance I carried on my stock, fixtures, etc., which were destroyed by fire on the 12th instant.

In connection with this matter I wish to state that my property was originally insured with the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, and the business of said company was afterwards purchased by the Westchester Fire Insurance Company of New York. This latter company was very prompt in the settlement of my claim, and the loss was fully paid, and to my entire satisfaction.

Very respectfully,
A. L. Jameson.

M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc.,
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119 South Fairfax Street
Alexandria, Va.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 20, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:34 and set at 7:28.
High water at 1:22 a. m. and 1:47 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section showers this afternoon or tonight. Sunday generally fair; light west to southwest winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. J. Morton rector. 7:30 a. m holy communio n. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. R. I. Green and 8 p. m., by the rector.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—7:30 a. m. holy communion. Services at 11 .a m by Rev J. J. Gravatt, jr., and 8:00 p. m. byRev. P. P. Phillips.

GRACE CHURCH—Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. C. W. Sydnor.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. J. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—First mass at 7 as m. Mass and sermon at 10.00 a. m. Vesper. and benediction 5 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. J. R. Sevier.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. A. W. Graves, of Falls Church.

SECOND BAPTISTCHURCH.—Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. and preaching at 3:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Hobbs.

TRINITY METH. EPIS. CHURCH—7:30 a. m. Holy Communion. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 7 p. m.

BETHANY M. P. CHURCH—south Fairfax street—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. Wm. M. Foisal.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor.—9:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:00 a. m. Children's day services. 7 p. m. Epworth League. 8 p. m. sermon by the pastor.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. G. I. Humphreys. Class meeting at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at11 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. E. M. Sandy.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibbon street, near Alfred.—Sunday school at 2:45 p.m.

DEL RAY CHAPEL M.E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Services at 3:00 p. m.

MISSION—Corner Fairfax and Franklin street. Services at 8:00 p. m.

ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MEADE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored)—north Alfred street—Rev. W. H.Johnson, pastor—Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Praise and prayer meeting 6:30 p. m.

RIVER NOTES.

The steamer Dennis Simmons, from Williamston, N. C., with lumber to Smoot & Co. and H. K. Field & Co., has arrived.

The schooner S. B. Kaplan, from Boothbay, Me., with ice for the Mutual Ice Company, has arrived. The schooners Alice Holbrook and Jeannette Lippitt, from Maine, with ice for the same company, are in the river on the way up.

The steam yacht Gretchen, belonging to Mayor Reyburn, of Philadelphia, will in a day or two start from Washington for Philadelphia, where the owner and the members of his family will board her for a trip to Poughkeepsie for the intercollegiate regatta. The yacht will then go to the New England coast for the summer. The Gretchen was rebuilt at the shipyard in this city several years ago.

The wharf at Riverside, Charles county, Md., was destroyed by fire a few days ago.

"FAST BOATS, BUT CAN'T FLY."

The interest in fast boats is on the increase and more are being constructed to outstrip those already in the fleet. But as fast as the fastest—the one the property of Mr. William Moore—it is conclusively proven that it will not fly. While on pleasure bent yesterday afternoon some friends of Mr. Moore safely landed the speed boat on the piles, the relic of a one-time prominent wharf at the foot of Prince street. It was indeed a dangerous position for a craft, valued at a thousand dollars, to be placed in. The naptha launch Katy Did, in which Police Commissioner Fisher and a few friends had been pleasuring, came along and parted several hawsers in efforts to release the boat from its perilous position. Later by extreme measures the speed boat was floated and the occupants in a happy mood wended their way to the crab picking at Jacob Brills.

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICE.

Children's Day will be observed at the Washington Street M. E. Church, South, tomorrow at 11 a. m. An interesting programme of musical numbers and recitations, by the children, will be rendered. The pastor kindly urges the parents to attend this service.

Tomorrow, June 21, will be Children's Day in the Bethany Methodist Protestant Church, on Fairfax street. The morning service will be in the interest of young people especially, and preceding the sermon a large number of children will be baptized. The evening service will be under the auspices of the Sunday school at which a carefully prepared and interesting programme will be rendered.

THE HOWITZERS.

At a meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, held last night at Lee Camp Hall, arrangements were made to entertain the Richmond Howitzers, who are expected to reach this city Tuesday. As heretofore stated the Howitzers will be entertained at Lee Camp Hall by the members of the camp who will be assisted by the women's auxiliaries to the camp. The Howitzers were in Front Royal yesterday on their way to Alexandria.

BUILDING BEING RAZED.

The old Brent building on the north side of Prince street, between Pitt and Henry, recently purchased by the City School Board, is being torn down and on its site will be erected a handsome modern school building. The old building is one of the best constructed in the city and many express regret at its demolition.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cut, mostly small sizes, offered for a few days only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Asbby Reardon, who recently left Georgetown on the schooner Clara A. Darnell for Boston, arrived at that port safely. He managed to keep on his sea legs, although shortly after passing out of the capes the schooner encountered a nor'easter during which waves at times washed the schooner's deck fore and aft. Mr. Reardon will return home in about three weeks.

Mr. K. Kemper, who has been quite sick during the past week, is improving.

Lieut. Wilson Browne, U. S. N., of Washington, is in town for a few days. Lieut. and Mrs. Browne will soon come to Norfolk to live, where Lieut. Browne has been assigned to duty. Mrs. Browne was formerly Miss Ruth Bryant, of Alexandria.—[Norfolk Ledger.

Miss Nannie Davis will leave on Tuesday to attend the summer school of instruction at the University of Virginia.

Mrs. C. R. Howard left Thursday, for Alexandria, where she will join her sister and take a trip to Boston. —[Fredericksburg Free Lance.

Mr. Carroll Pierce, of the Citizens' National Bank, attended the meeting of the State Bankers' Association, at Hot Springs.

Mr. J. C. Creighton has returned from a pleasant trip through Missouri and Oklahoma.

Col. J. S. Mosby, upon whom an operation was recently performed in Washington, has entirely recovered and is able to be out again.

Rev. A. W. Graves, of Washington, will supply the pulpit at the First Baptist Church tomorrow at both the morning and evening services. Following the morning services tomorrow the church will elect two deacons to fill vacancies on that board.

Mr. J. F. Buckley, who has been at Garrisonville, Loudoun county, for several weeks, has returned to his home in this city.

THE LIBRARY.

The following valuable books have recently been presented to the Alexandria Library: Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire, by Edward Gibbon, 6 vols. The Ingoldsby Legends, 4 vols., by Thomas Ingoldsby, esq. Some Prominent Virginia Families, 4 vols., by Louise Pecquet Du Bellet. Military Memoirs of a Confederate, by E. P. Alexander. Tennessee in the War, 1861-1865, by General Marcus J. Wright. Colonial Families of the United States of America, by George Norbury Mackenzie. History of Orange county, Virginia, by W. W. Scott. The Nutrition of Man, by Russell H. Chittenden Ph. D. LL. D. Men of Mark in Virginia, 4th volume, and also Meade's Early Churches and Families. As it may not be generally known, the board of management would state that there is a reading room free to the public in connection with the library, where readers can have access to these books of reference, current fiction, and magazines. The rooms are in Lee Camp Hall and the hours—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.

GONE AFTER NEW BOAT.

It will be remembered that a few weeks ago the steamer Trenton, which plied between Washington, Alexandria and the lower river, sunk at the wharf in this city, the result of which is familiar to all. The company has been endeavoring to secure a boat for some time and has at last secured the Robert E. Lee, a twin screw steamer about one-third larger than the Trenton. Capt. Douglass Ross and crew left here on the Norfolk steamer last night for Norfolk to bring the steamer to this port and the agent of the company in this city reports that she will arrive tonight and enter the service next week.

FLOWER MISSION DAY.

The Allison W. C. T. U. of this city will observe "flower mission day" next Thursday, the 25th instant. They will meet at the Children's Home at 10 o'clock on that morning. Any one wishing to donate flowers will please bring or send them to the Children's Home at 10 o'clock. Any ladies of the city, whether belonging to the union or not, are invited to come and help make bouquets; also to send names of any sick persons, as the flowers will be made into bouquets and bedistributed among the sick of the city.

CHARTER.

The Corporation Commission yesterday issued a charter to the Columbia Newspaper Vending Machine Company (Inc.), Alexandria. M. C. Masterson, president; G. B. Ostermaker, vice-president; H. C. Hechman, secretary—all of Washington, D. C. Capital—maximum, $100,000; minimum, $75,000. Object: Slot machines for the purpose of vending newspapers.

HANDSOME DRUG STORE.

One of the handsomest and best equipped drug stores in the city is that of Mr. J. A. Dienelt, 1113 King street, which has just been remodeled and refurnished completely. An especial feature is the compounding room, where all prescriptions &c., are handled. This is entirely separate from the store, which insures perfect accuracy. The whole is a most pleasing effect.

THE MARKET.

The supply of country produce in market this morning showed a falling off from that of last Saturday. Most articles were unchanged in prices. Some country people were holding eggs at 22 cents a dozen. Green peas were higher. At some benches they were quoted at 25 cents per half peck; at others, however, the sold at 15 cents. Cherries were abundant at low prices.

EXCURSION.

The Employers' Relief Association of the Woodward and Lothrop dry goods house, Washington, D. C., will give an excursion to Marshall Hall next Tuesday evening. The steamer Charles Macalester will stop at Alexandria about 7 p. m. on her way down and will touch here on the return trip.

Tans are the real thing for spring wear. We handle the swellest line in town. Our motto, high grade, low prices. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

MONEY ADVANCED

Weekly to men to write health and accident contracts. Weekly payment plan; excellent opportunity for industrial life men. Call 2 to 5 p. m., Room 7, 2d floor, Alexandria National Bank Building.
je20 3t R. E. BOWER, H. O. Rep.

CEYLON TEAS. Extra fine Ceylon Teas, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

SUNDAY CLOSING.

The police have notified the proprietors of all confectioneries, pool rooms, drug stores, news stands, &c., that the Sunday laws will be rigidly enforced in future. Newspapers can be delivered to regular customers tomorrow and milk and ice can be carried to houses as usual. The proprietors of grocery stores who may keep meats, &c., on ice for customers will be allowed to deliver the same, and prescriptions can be filled at drug stores.

RECITAL.

The Misses Botchford and class of 1908 announce their annual recital in thier studios, Tuesday evening the twenty-third. They will be assisted by Miss D. Murphy, soprano; Mr. H. Harris, tenor, and Messrs. Hall and Simpson, violinists.

No Need of Suffering from Rheumatism.

It is a mistake to allow anyone to suffer from rheumatism, as the pain can always be relieved, and in most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes sleep and rest possible. Even in cases of long standing this liniment should be used on account of the relief which it affords. Do not be discouraged until you have given it a trial. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Co. and Richard Gibson.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street nov21 tf

LOCAL BREVITIES.

At the meeting last night of Old Dominion Commandery K. T. the Templar degree was conferred.

Tomorrow, according to the almanac, summer begins. It will also be the longest day of the year.

The teachers of the public schools were all paid their salaries today and the business of the session wound up.

The Circuit Court for the County adjourned yesterday till Monday, and will probably adjourn on Tuesday for the term.

The Emerson Pump Company has received an order for their pumps from Madras, India. This shows the extent of the firm's business.

Mr. S. H. Lunt, auctioneer, today sold for Mr. W. C. Balderson, administrator, the property No. 117 Prince street, to Mr. H. L. Strider for $720.

Eugene Lucas, who was arrested several days ago on suspicion of forgery, was released last night, the charge against him having been withdrawn.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning. A young man who had been arrested yesterday evening by Officer Roberts for drunken and disorderly conduct at his home was released about 11 o'clock.

The houses in course of erection by Contractor Arthur Davis for Messrs. Garret & Monroe, on Oronoco street, are nearing completion, and when finished will still further ornament the northwestern section of the city.

The office of the clerk of the court has been removed to one of the rooms south of that previously occupied and this will be used till the improvements now being made to the clerks office made to the clerk's office are completed.

Bids for supplying coal to the two marine barracks, marine hospital and officers' quarters for the next fiscal year, were opened yesterday at the Mills building, Washington. The contract was awarded to James E. Rose, formerly of this city.

A horse belonging to Henry Jones, living in lower Fairfax county, went mad suddenly a few days ago and was killed by its owner. It is supposed that the animal had been bitten by one of the mad dogs which have recently been discovered in the neighborhood.

The rear portion of Peabody school building, recently fitted up for office purposes by the purchasers, Messrs. Donlphan and Morrill, is now being used as offices for the Southern Railway Company. The superintendent of the Washington division, Mr. G. V. Peyton, now has his office in the new quarters.

The quarantine has been raised from a number of houses on south Washington street where mild cases which was said to have been smallpox existed. The houses have been quarantined for several weeks past for fear of a spread of the disease. The houses have been fumigated and the occupants permitted to leave the premises.

It is interesting to notice the crowds which nightly visit the Alexandria Amusement Co's hall. The motion pictures are of a high order and very interesting. Tonight while you are being kept cool by the electric fans you will see "A Tale of the Autumn Leaves Told," which is an amusing drama, and "A Soldier's Billet," an interesting reel.

There will be another crabpicking tonight at Mr. Jacob Brill's restaurant, foot of King street.

Crab Salad, Hard, Soft and Deviled Crabs, Chicken, Squabs, Steaks, at the Opera House Cafe tonight.

Free crab picking at Fegan's tonight, 132 north Royal street.

Dr. Hicks, Eye Specialist, 113 north Washington street. Examination free. jeb4 t20

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar5 tf

Kodol is the best known preparation that is offered to the people today for dyspepsia or indigestion or any stomach trouble. Kodol digests all food. It is pleasant to take. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

You don't have to go to Washington for all the new dainty features in fine footwear. Look our stock over and be convinced. We have all the new styles. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

WANTED.

WANTED.—Young single MAN, (white) would like to call and see some private family who has nice room for rent. Good reference. Address G. B. BARNES, general delivery, Alexandria. 11*

WANTED.—STOCK TO PASTURE. Twenty acres of good grass, running water, plenty of shade. Apply to Mrs. J. H. CATTS, 3301 Duke Street, Alexandria, Va. je19 3t

FOR SALE.

UPRIGHT PIANO in good condition. Apply at 904 Prince street. je20 3t*

NOTICE—COAL AT BOTTOM SUMMER PRICES.

Take advantage of the low price and buy your coal before the advance July 1st. Will be pleased to have your order now. Both 'phones.

DEW. AITCHESON,
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Born in Iowa.

Our family were all born and raised in Iowa, and have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy (made at Des Moines) for years. We know how good it is from long experience in the use of it. In fact, when in El Paso, Texas, the writer's life was saved by the prompt use of this remedy. We are now engaged in the mercantile business at Narcoossee, Fla., and have introduced the remedy here. It has proven very successful and is constantly growing in favor.—ENNIS BROS. This remedy is for sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

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IN MEMORIAM.

In loving but sad remembrance of Capt. HENRY BEACH, who departed this life eight years ago today.
Eight years have passed, and still we miss him,
Friends may think the wound is healed,
But they little know the sorrow
That lies within our hearts concealed.
We miss him, dearest loved one,
Yet would not wish him here;
For he is free from worldly strife,
That thought should check the tear.
Farewell, father, may your slumber
Be as gentle as your love,
And when God will call us homeward
May we meet in heaven above.
BY HIS CHILDREN.

LOST.

LOST.—On Friday, the 19th, between city market and St. Asaph street, a KNIGHT TEMPLAR PIN. Reward if returned to Gazette office. je19 3t*

LOST.

June 17, between Fairfax and Henry streets, a four leaf clover PEARL BROOCH with diamond in center. Finder will receive a liberal reward if left at 122 south Fairfax street. je18 3t*

LOST.—On June 16th, on the street, a gold and blue enameled bow-knot BREAST PIN. The finder will be rewarded by returning the same to No. 102 north Washington street. je17 3t

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Subjects Tonight:

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A beautiful drama.

A Soldier's Billet

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Matinee every day.
Admission 5c.

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For a picture (not a resemblance) of anything at any time or at any place, write, 'phone or call for EBERHART. je19 1m

A DECIDED BARGAIN in King Street PROPERTY if sold now.

ROBT. ELLIOTT,
Real Estate Agent,
127 South Royal Street.
je17 tf

NOTICE.—We have a temporary office at the store of Mr. S. H. Lynn, No. 439 King street. All persons indebted to the Lozano Dry Goods Company will please call and settle their accounts
Mrs. SALLIE P. LOZANO, Proprietor.
je19 3t

We have on display in our window some of the finest box-paper made, also a large line of pound paper with envelopes to match.

Remember the place and name when in need of fine stationery.

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The Polar Star FREEZER

Uses less ice, less labor and makes perfect cream every time.

Unlike any other freezer made. No experience needed. Put in cream and flavoring, turn the handle a few minutes and serve the cream

Made in two sizes.

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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

EXCURSIONS.

NINETEENTH ANNUAL EXCURSION

Woodward & Lothrop's

Employes' Relief Association

To MARSHALL HALL

TUESDAY, June 23

Steamer MACALESTER leaves Seventh street wharf, Washington, at 6.30 p. m., stopping at Alexandria going and returning. Representative on wharf one hour before arrival of evening boat. Tickets, 25c. Good on morning and afternoon boats. je20 3t

Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Co.

Steamer Jamestown

Moonlight Excursions.

FORTY MILES DOWN POTOMAC RIVER, COMMENCING JUNE 15—DAILY INCLUDING SUNDAYS—LEAVE 7:30 P. M. FROM EXCURSION PIER, RETURNS 10 30 P M.

Dancing : : Palm Garden

Fare - - 50 cents.

First trip Monday, June 15—Entire proceeds to be donated to Children's Playground Association Fund.

DRY GOODS.

Special Sale

FOR

Tuesday, June 23

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

New Consignment Embroideries

Lots now on display in our window.

See Advertisement in Monday Evening's Gazette.

D. BENDHEIM AND SONS,

316 King Street.

BELL 'PHONE. HOME 'PHONE

JEWELERS.

TRY ONE OF OUR
Cut Glass Specials.
10-in. Pitcher - - $5 00.
8-in. Bowl - - - 5-00.

See them and you will say the value is far in excess of the price.

R. C. Acton & Sons,
Jewelers and Silversmiths.

WATCH CHAINS.

Protect your watch from loss or damage by dropping from your pocket by having it attached to a firm, dependable, handsome chain. We have a splendid new line of chains, in Nickel, Gold Filled and Solid Gold, including many exclusive designs that strongly appeal to the admirers of style and superior quality in jewelry.

THEY RANGE IN PRICE FROM
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For Sale.

At Beautiful Braddock Heights six and one-half acres of land improved by seven-room frame dwelling and outbuildings and fine fruit orchard. This property is located in the highest part of

Braddock Heights

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A desirable ten-room brick dwelling on upper King Street, with all modern improvements. Well rented.

One-half square of ground bounded by Wilkes street, Payne and West streets, adjoining the property of the Southern Railway Company. Excellent location for manufacturing purposes.

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Best Make and Guaranteed Fit.

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Call and examine our stock and we will convince you that we have what you want and just as cheap as you can get GOOD goods anywhere.

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It assimilates perfectly with any kind of food and greatly aids digestion.
Pint Bottles - - 25 cents
Half pint bottles . 15 cents

THOS. LANNON,
Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts.

15 mats very fine old JAVA COFFEE just received by J. C. MILBURN.

OFFICIAL.

To City Taxpayers—Notice.

Collector's Office, June 17, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1908 are now in the hands of the Collector. The attention of parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the revenue bill of that year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of July, 1908, the Collector of Taxes shall allow a discount of ten per cent, and on all bills paid by the 1st day of September, 1908, he shall allow a discount of five per cent, and on all bills not paid on the 1st day of December, 1908, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of five per cent upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of June, 1909, damages at the rate of six per centum per annum shall be paid."

Taxpayers would do well to call and pay at once in order to avoid the rush and crowd usually present on the last days in which the discount is allowed.

Bring a list to make sure you get bills for all your property, as the Collector will not be responsible or allow the discount after the time fixed by law. P. F. GORMAN,
je18july1 Collector of City Taxes.

TO THE OWNERS OF DOGS.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Alexandria, Va., June 6, 1908.

All persons owning or intending to keep any animal of the dog or canine species should come forward on or before
JUNE TWENTY-FIFTH, 1908,
and take out a license for the same from the Auditor. After the 30th of June all persons owning or harboring dogs without the required license are subject to a fine as the laws on the subject require of $3 or $5.

Complaint has been frequently made that many persons fail to take out their license, and that others pay on one or two dogs when owning and harboring more, or who send such dogs away during the summer months and bring them back in the fall.

Attention has been called to this evasion of the law, and policemen will report all such cases, and fines can be imposed upon those who fail to take out licenses after trial in the Police Court.

In order to avoid any mistakes persons who make application for licenses would do well to write their names and number of residence, street, etc., on a card or paper when making application for their licenses to the Auditor.

Attention is also called to the fact that while the payment of a license tax is required by the laws of the city whether a dog is kept on the premises of the owner at all times or not, yet the payment of such tax does not entitle the dog to the unrestricted use of the streets and alleys of the city, both day and night, for it is provided by law that "The Mayor in addition at any and all times, in his discretion, by proclamation shall declare that all such dogs as above licensed shall be securely muzzled, and if any such dogs be found running at large during the continuance of such proclamation without the required muzzle they shall be seized by the police force, or other persons designated by the Mayor for such purposes," and conveyed to a suitable place and destroyed.

FRED. J. PAFF, Mayor.

The following is a copy of Section 54 of the License Law: "On every dog, regardless of sex, one dollar and fifty cents."
je6 2w

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SMALL SIZES

G. Wm. Ramsay.

WHEAT BERRIES

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C. & C. Belfast,
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Gosman's,
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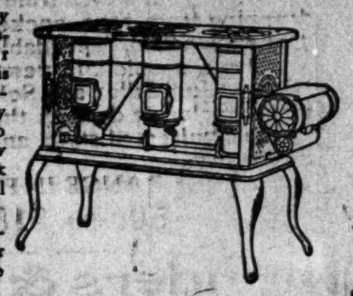
G. Wm. Ramsay.

Potomac Family Roe Herring

Price's Packing
40 Barrels
50 Halves
25 Quarters
75 Kits
25 Pails Herring Roe
25 Cases Canned Herring Roe.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

Let the Coal Fire Go Out



A reasonably cool and pleasant place for kitchen work is the blessing enjoyed by every housewife who possesses a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove.

At the first suggestion of summer weather, let the range fire die out, set a

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Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

in a corner of the kitchen and at once the family boiling, frying and baking may be done with comfort, because the "New Perfection" delivers the heat under the kettle where you want it and not about the room where you don't want it. Made in three sizes, each capable of an astonishing range of work. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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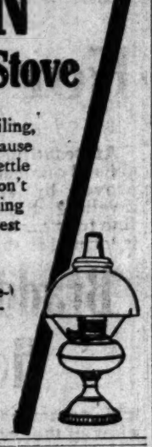

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B. BAER, Jr.

G. B. WARFIELD, Cashier. J. J. GREEN, Assistant Cashier

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	185,790 47
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	744,667 84
U. S. Deposits	51,152 96
Other Liabilities	2,051 14
	$1,183,662.41

Resources.

Loans and Investments	$820,006 79
U. S. Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	26,001 28
Cash	47,961 09
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	129,693 25
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,183,662 41

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Little Neck Clams — Cherrystone Oysters
Clams in All Styles — Oysters in All Styles
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Alexandria Gazette.
SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 20, 1908

The Eye of the Needle.

When Christ says in his sermon "that it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than it is for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven" he does not mean a sewing needle, but a hole through which a camel had to pass through in getting into a fortress. It was the custom in old times, and in parts of Arabia still is, for the people of a village to build a fortress against the robbers of the desert, into which they carried an underground passage in a zigzag form barely large enough for a camel lying down on its side to work itself through into the courtyard of the fort, and the Saviour beautifully compares the struggles of the animal to what the rich man must suffer in order to gain paradise. The hole was called "the eye of the needle."

In the old stone cahirs, or walled cities, in Ireland specimens of these eyeholes may be seen. Most of them have been partially destroyed, but there is one almost perfect at Grianan Elleach, in Donegal, and so like the eastern eyeholes that one would think they were made by the same workmen. The Irish annals relate that Elleach was erected by a Tuach de Daanan chief 1,300 years before Christ.—Exchange.

The Magic Flat.

"This is our library," said the New York woman, leading her visitor into the front room. "And that cozy little room back of it is the music room. The 'den' is the big, bright room on your left. Come over and see it. Yes, we have just five rooms in all. The small back hallroom we use as a packing and storage closet. Isn't it cozy?"

"Y-e-s," agreed her visitor doubtfully, "but where do you sleep and eat, and all that?"

"Oh," said the New Yorker indifferently, "my husband and I sleep in the 'den' on the oriental couch, and mother sleeps in the music room on another couch that pulls out at night. We eat on that funny little table in the library. You've no idea how big it can be made when the leaves are in. And we dress in the bathroom and keep our clothes in the packing room. So, you see, it's all very convenient."

"What do you do in the kitchen?" inquired the other laconically.

"Oh, we keep the dogs in there at night, and in the daytime we sometimes use it—to cook in."—New York Press.

An Impresario's Advice.

Some years ago after the regular Italian opera season had ended at the Academy of Music, New York, that building became a sort of trying on arena for would be prima donnas and tenors. One day during the open and shut interim between the seasons Max Maretzek met the tenor Adams and Mme. Pappenheim.

When the tenor said, "Congratulate us, Max; we have just leased the academy for classic operas—no candy rot for us," the impresario replied:

"I wish you great success. But tell me your proposed repertory."

To this Adams responded, "'Antigone,' 'Orfeo,' 'Iphigenia,' 'Sapho,' 'Alceste,' etc."

Maretzek suavely said: "That is magnificent. But do me a favor as an old and experienced friend. Give the "Trovatore" once each week in order to pay salaries."

This advice was not followed, and very soon the academy was again for rent.—New York Tribune.

The New and the Old.

A Chicago girl said the other day in an address before a girls' club: "I advise all of you to be new women. I urge you to pay no heed to the gibes about new women that are continually being uttered by men. It isn't a fine type of man that gibes at the new woman. You know the story of the man in the county jail? 'What brought you here, my poor fellow?' a missionary asked. 'I married a new woman, sir,' the prisoner groaned. 'Aha!' said the missionary, 'And she was so domineering and extravagant that it drove you to desperate courses, eh?' 'No,' said the prisoner. 'The old woman turned up.'"—San Francisco Argonaut.

An Odd Little Anagram.

Here is an interesting little puzzle and anagram which was published in a newspaper several years ago:

A ——old woman with —— intent
Put on her —— and to market went.
"——," said she, "give me, I pray,
The wherewithal to —— this day."

Each of the blanks is to be filled with a word of four letters, and the same letters occur in each of the five different words. These words are consecutively "vile," "evil," "veil," "Levi" and "live."

Her Share.

"Snigsby has a new scheme that he purposes substituting for the ordinary swear off idea. He is going to carry a little savings bank around with him, and every time he buys liquid refreshments he will drop the cash equivalent in the bank for his wife."

"Whose idea is it?"

"Snigsby's wife. She thinks there'll be a little something in it for her."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Looking For Trouble.

It generally depends on the way you look at things in this world whether or not you are going to have any heaven. If you go around brooding all the time and looking for trouble you'll get it.—Manchester (N. H.) Union.

A Financial Coup.

"You don't mean to say that you loaned Stickles your umbrella?"

"Yes. And it was economy to do it. It saves me the 25 cents a day he used to borrow."

Inaccuracy is the twin brother of dishonesty.—Simmons.

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AT ALL DRUG STORES

A Hint For Young Playwrights.

The young man wrapped up his rejected play with a rather sad smile.

"Thank you for reading it," he said. "It is the sixth unsuccessful drama I have written."

The manager of 117 theaters gave him an encouraging pat on the shoulder.

"Look here," he said. "I'll tell you what you want to do. You want to begin less ambitious. Begin with a one act curtain raiser. And after you've wrote this here curtain raiser send it around with the sentence printed on the cover, 'You can play this for nothing.' I guarantee you'll get a hearing then. Ten to one, by gosh, you'll get played."

"A good idea," murmured the young man.

"That's what it is," said the great manager. "I got it from Sidney Grundy. It's how he began. His first play was a curtain raiser, 'A Little Change.' He said on it, 'Play it for nothing.' And the Haymarket theater took him up."

Spectacles Demoralizing.

A certain Somerset vicar made himself notorious by the vigor with which in the seventeenth century he inveighed against the use of the newly invented optic glasses, since they perverted vision and made all things appear in an unnatural and therefore a false light. Microscopes and telescopes, with their array of lenses, he declared to be impostors, since a man could not see so well with two pairs of spectacles as with one. Some asserted it to be sinful to assist the eyes, which were adapted by Providence to the capacity of the individual, whether good, bad or indifferent. "It was argued that society at large would become demoralized by the use of spectacles. They would give one man an unfair advantage over his fellow and every man an unfair advantage over every woman, who could not be expected on aesthetic and intellectual grounds to adopt the practice."—London Spectator.

Put His Foot In It.

On one occasion in Scotland a guest arriving rather late at a country house was quartered in the haunted room. Although professing to be a skeptic, like many others, his courage vanished with the light. Determined, however, to protect himself as well as possible, he placed a loaded revolver under his pillow and awaited events. As the clock struck midnight he saw a fleshy hand at the end of the bed, and, steadying his nerve, he addressed the visitant thus: "If you do not instantly remove your hand I shall fire without further warning." He counted three and then discharged the bullet. A howl of pain which aroused the household followed, and it was soon discovered that the successful marksman had shot away two of his own toes.—London Throne.

Punishing a Court Fool.

Ivan the Terrible, Peter the Great and the Emperor Paul had rough ways with their fools. A dagger thrust would follow a poor joke and banishment any sign of declining wit. Once when Fougere, the jester of Czar Paul, offended his royal master he was permitted to depart in peace. In the middle of the night, however, he was aroused and ordered to get up and prepare for immediate banishment to Siberia. In vain the unhappy man pleaded. He was bundled into a dark van and driven away on his long journey. Day after day, week after week, it lasted. Upon arrival he stepped out into the presence of—the czar. All the time he had been driven not toward Siberia, but around and around St. Petersburg!

Polite Notice Boards.

At the hospital just opposite the entrance to the East India docks and the Blackwall tunnel—under the Thames—notice boards are set up asking the drivers, for the sake of those who are ill within, to walk their horses past the building. That is a common enough request, but what gives it a peculiar interest here is that the carter, having complied or not with the modest demand, is confronted at the other corner of the building by another board, saying, "Thank you, driver."—A Wanderer in London.

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

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FRANKLIN BROOKS, Secretary.
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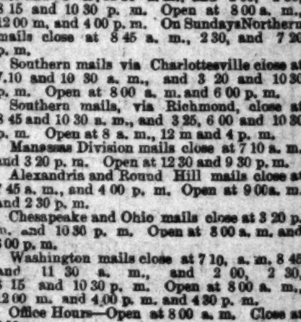

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